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Dear Sir:

In compliance with 37 CFR 1.821, Applicants submit the attached sequence listing and provide one enclosed 3.5 inch diskette. The file is stored as Seq.txt.

I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copies of the sequence listing, submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same. Applicant believes there are no fees due for the filing of this response; however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be due to account number 06-2375, under Order No. 09805059, on which account the undersigned is allowed to draw.

Respectfully submitted,

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